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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the action dated June 26, 2006, finally rejecting claims 1-40 and 45-78.

A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR §1.136 to extend the time to respond to the final rejection for 1 month(s) to and including October 26, 2006 is enclosed.

The fee in the amount of \$620 in payment for the Notice of Appeal fee (\$500) and the Petition for One-Month Extension of Time fee (\$120) is being paid concurrently herewith on the Electronic Filing System (EFS) by way of Deposit Account authorization. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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